

112TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 5409

To extend the temporary suspension of duty on certain wire containing 99.9 percent or more by weight of gold and with dopants added to control wirebonding characteristics.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 7, 2012

Mr. HONDA introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. CERTAIN WIRE CONTAINING 99.9 PERCENT OR**
4 **MORE BY WEIGHT OF GOLD AND WITH**
5 **DOPANTS ADDED TO CONTROL**
6 **WIREBONDING CHARACTERISTICS.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Heading 9902.7108 of the Har-
8 monized Tariff Schedule of the United States (relating to

1 wire containing 99.9 percent or more by weight of gold
2 and with dopants added to control wirebonding character-
3 istics, having a diameter of 0.05 mm or less, for use in
4 the manufacture of diodes, transistors or similar semicon-
5 ductor devices or electronic integrated circuits) is amended
6 by striking the date in the effective period column and
7 inserting “12/31/2015”.

8 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
9 subsection (a) applies to goods entered, or withdrawn from
10 warehouse for consumption, on or after the 15th day after
11 the date of the enactment of this Act.

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